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Dear Sir,

Applicant: John J. Miller  
Application Number: 09/703,880  
Filing Date: Nov 01, 2000  
Title: Body Brace with Adjustable Hinge Mechanism  
Group Art Unit: 3764  
Attorney Docket: Boston/Brace/Brace

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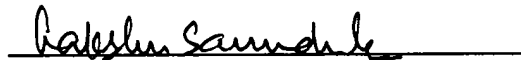
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